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# Richmond's Suburban Neighbor "Stepping"

## Pinole's Carnival to Be Biggest and Best Ever Given

All is ready for the big carnival to be given at Pinole by the Chamber of Commerce August 11, 12, 13 and 14. The town is now being decorated and the large tents which will contain the numerous industrial exhibits and the attractive shows are now being erected.

Among the many attractions will be the street parades, band concerts, Big Eli Ferris wheel, baby aeroplane, three-abreast Parker carryus-all; Dreams of the Orient, beautiful Honolulu; "Jazzing Shakespeare," the biggest vaudeville show in existence with the tallest man in the world. The Cabaret De Luxe with twenty beautiful dancing dolls. Big Amusement Zone and mammoth industrial display.

The queen of the carnival will be elected Thursday night and the crowning takes place in the industrial exhibits department Friday night. The entire affair will close Saturday night with a grand masque ball and street masquerade, also a big chamarita.

## Year's Clearings Total $69,553,299

The total bank clearings for Richmond for the fiscal year ending June 30 was $69,553,299, it was reported today by P. M. Sanford, president of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce.

### Thieving Boys Caught

Two Richmond boys, 16, accused of burglary, have been certified to the juvenile court in Martinez by Judge John Roth on charges of felony. A number of other boys are under surveillance, who are said to be engaged in various lines of pilfering.

### Annual Boat Ride

The Elks boat ride Sunday will be a pleasant affair, a recreation for a fine bunch of fellows. It beats the automobile ride along the highways in the traffic, and is restful. Don't miss this opportunity to get a sniff of salt water and—lots of fun.

## City in Brief

Dr. W. W. Fraser has sold his property located on the northwest corner of Fourteenth street and Barrett avenue to Carl Bauducci who plans building on the property.

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A benefit whist party will be given at Odd Fellows hall Saturday evening, Sept. 11, by Richmond P. N. G. association for the benefit of the aged residents of the Odd Fellows home.

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What's the matter with the candidates' ball? Nothing doing? That's funny. Those good old days are drifting.

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From present indications, it looks very much like the ash can would get the straw hat quite early this fall.

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The municipal band concert at the Point Wednesday night was well attended.

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City Treasurer Ira Vaughn reports $272,656 in the city treasury. School days will begin Aug. 9.

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## El Cerrito's Valuation Rapidly Increasing

El Cerrito, August 6.—According to the report of City Assessor Alice M. Morris, the assessed valuation of El Cerrito will exceed three million. This is an increase of 50 per cent over last year. The increased assessments are against unimproved property.

### Library Too Small

City Librarian Miss Nora McNeill announces that owing to the demand for reading matter at the Stege branch of the city library, larger quarters are being prepared. Members of the library board are G. P. Fredenburg, Miss McNeill, Mrs. B. X. Tucker, Mrs. T. T. Cramer and C. R. Anderson.

## Corey Building Is Attractive

Ross T. Corey's new garage building presents quite an attractive front, and does not have the appearance of the average building constructed for garage purposes. The front of the building is designed to harmonize and add to the building plan of the business center. Mr. Corey looks ahead, and is to be complimented for his foresight and good taste.

### *Tactless Moves Give Offense to Tibetans*

It appears that behind the scenes there is a good deal more than has appeared on the surface in the nature of obstacles to another expedition to conquer Mount Everest. Some of the circumstances of the last expedition troubled the Tibetans and others deeply offended them, according to a dispatch from Bombay to the New York Herald Tribune.

General Bruce, it may be remembered, was driven back to India by fever, and in the very last stage of the attempt to reach the top of the mountain two Englishmen lost their lives. These the Tibetans regard as marks of the anger felt by the gods of the mountains against those who encroached upon their solitude.

But as well as the indignities offered to the gods, the Tibetans feel that others were offered to themselves. Some Tibetan lamas were persuaded to go to foreign cities and perform religious dances in places of entertainment there. The conversion of their lamas into theatrical entertainers has horrified them.

The natural route from India to Mount Everest is through Nepal, but the Nepalese refuse even to consider the grant of a permit for an expedition to proceed through their midst. It is not likely, either, that the Tibetans will encourage further expeditions.

At Kurna, where the Tigris and Euphrates unite, there is an old tree, locally known as the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil. Naturally the British Tommies took to having their pictures taken in it, and finally this was forbidden. But they persisted, and at last three of them were court-martialed, the indictment gravely reading, "for breaking a limb from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil in the Garden of Eden."—Mary Roberts Rinehart, in Hearst's International-Cosmopolitan.

I stopped at Beck's garage, Cutting and San Pablo and had it fixed right. Now I'm happy.

One letter makes a fitting transposition. They call the present day pug a "prizefighter."

## Work Begun On New Yosemite Valley Hotel

Yosemite, August 6.—Construction of a new half-million dollar all-year hotel for Yosemite valley is already under way, with the building contract calling for completion of the structure by December 15, in time for opening next Christmas.

The hotel will be a fireproof structure, six stories high in the center part, with 100 rooms all equipped with bath, and will have lobby and dining accommodations for 100 guests. The complete plans call for construction of 300 bungalows in the pine and cedar grove surrounding the hotel site.

The new Yosemite hotel, with furnishings, will cost more than $800,000, according to Don B. Tresidder, president of the company which is building the hotel.

Though constructed of concrete and steel, the hotel will have a rustic appearance in harmony with its setting. The site chosen has been known as Kenneyville to those who know Yosemite well. It is near Royal Arches.

## Another Albany Man Seriously Injured

San Rafael, Aug. 5.—Dazed by the shock of injuries he received when he was catapulted from his automobile against a barbed wire fence, Edward Forsyth, of Albany, this afternoon fled from the operating table of a San Rafael hospital. Surgeons had just finished putting twelve stitches in his throat which had been cut by the wire from ear to ear. Police and hospital attendants failed to find Forsyth in a search of territory surrounding the hospital.

### *Just in Time!*

During the recent strike in England the volunteer driver of the London-Liverpool express performed the miraculous feat of bringing the great train into Liverpool 25 minutes ahead of schedule time. The passengers went forward in a body to thank him. A pale-green face emerged from the cab. "Don't thank me," it gasped; "thank God! I only found out how to stop this thing ten minutes ago."

### *Motor Truck Library for Rural Districts*

A library mounted on a motor truck is circulating in the rural districts of Iowa this summer demonstrating the educational value of county circulating libraries. The Iowa Library association, which seeks to establish circulating libraries in each county now without library service, is sponsor for the demonstrations. The demonstration in each county will last about a week. In that time, the books will be moved to different parts of the county, to fairs, private residences, and to meetings of farm bureaus, boys and girls' clubs, and schools. Books will in most cases be supplied by town libraries, and expenses paid by community clubs, farm bureaus, and private citizens. The library van will be lined with bookcases facing outward and protected by glass windows to allow the maximum display.—Indianapolis News.

## Personal Mention

F. J. Hulauiski, who was reported seriously ill proved an alibi by being seen on the golf links yesterday.

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William Ullman of Sacramento is visiting relatives in Richmond.

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Mrs. Howard Weidemoyer, who was taken to the hospital last week, is reported much improved and will soon be taken to her home.

## Seven Seconds Worth 50 Years, Says Clancy

Would you lose seven cents to gain fifty dollars?

Such an investment offer undoubtedly would be widely popular.

But, would you lose seven seconds to to gain fifty years.

The latter proposition is of particular interest to railroad men.

It takes a fast railroad train an average of seven seconds to pass a crossing, according to Robert J. Clancy, assistant to the general manager of the Southern Pacific company, yet 1784 automobilists were killed at grade crossings in the United States last year.

"Seven seconds is hardly a considerable period of time," said Clancy, "but its apparent importance to some automobilists is causing many crossing accidents each year. It is difficult for the driver of a fast moving automobile to gauge the relative speed of his car and a fast train converging at the same point from different directions. It is not hard to estimate what the result will be if both arrive at the same time.

"There should be only one rule for motorists to follow: Stop and let the train go by! Seven seconds are not much in the span of life and to lose them may be to save fifty years.

### *Hungry Man Couldn't Forget Magic Words*

His worship, Medéric Martin, perpetual mayor of Montreal, tells how, as a young man in the 60's, he got a job as a cigarmaker with a Boston concern. The first few days he almost starved because he could not speak English. His diet was almost exclusively bread, butter and water. One noon a bride and groom sat at his restaurant table. The bride ordered "beefsteak, well done."

Young Martin clutched at those words and oft repeated them in his mind. When he was happily seated at the table that evening, the friendly waitress asked, "What are you going to eat tonight?"

With head erect and shoulders thrown back and chest proudly extended young Martin responded, "beefsteak welcome."—Los Angeles Times.

### *Machinery Wipes Apples*

Wiping machines are the latest wrinkle to be added to the mechanism of fruit packing. The Apple Growers' union of Washington state is one of the first to set up this apparatus, which is designed to remove spray residue from apples packed during the season of 1926. The fruit will pass over horizontal revolving rollers and be slapped clean by 500 pieces of canvas. The machine is electrically driven and provided with a fan to remove dirt and dust. This invention is doubtless designed to counteract the impression that seems in some regions to have gained considerable ground that poisoning has resulted from the arsenic residue left on apples during spraying.

### *Stunt Man*

When Bill Bradford was a little fellow he went with his mother to visit on a neighboring porch, which was somewhat high from the ground.

During the visit, Billy wandered too close to the edge, and to the horror of every one, fell headlong the full length of the steps. The watchers gasped in alarm, but before any one could reach him he was on his feet, and, looking up with a foolish little smile on his frightened face, he gasped:

"I'll bet you couldn't do that!"—Los Angeles Times.

Jim Long's long trip is sure going to come out in book form. Clare Horner has already issued his and may have it copyrighted.

# Candidates Nearing the Home Stretch; Three Weeks More In Which to Interview Voters

## Three Hundred Voters Fail to Register

Three hundred registered voters failed to register for the August primaries, according to the report of City Clerk A. C. Faris. The total number of Richmond voters is 7734. Of those registered 4222 are men and 3312 are women.

Of the number registered and eligible to vote August 31st, 5634 are republicans and 3312 are democrats. There were 239 who declined to state party affiliation.

## Pioneer Paper House Establish Branch in Oakland

One of the largest distributors of paper products on the West Coast has opened the doors of its Oakland Division headquarters, according to announcement made by Blake, Moffitt & Towne, the pioneer firm of paper merchants on the Pacific Coast.

Blake, Moffitt & Towne was founded by Francis Blake, James Moffitt and James W. Towne, all of whom played an active part in the early commercial history of the San Francisco bay region. The families of Francis Blake and James Moffitt were well known residents of Oakland for many years. Several prominent eastbay directors of this firm among whom are James Moffitt, Mrs. Delia Moffitt and W. B. Maxwell.

The Oakland customers of this firm have previously been serviced from the parent organization in San Francisco which was established in 1855, seventy-one years ago.

Frank L. Unthank, for 20 years associated with the company, has been appointed manager of the Oakland division in charge of the eastbay territory. The Oakland division is one of four established by this firm in California. These four divisions, together with the affiliated companies in the northwest, gives the organization compiete distributing facilities in Portland, Tacoma, San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and Sacramento.

The new Oakland sales division of Blake, Moffitt & Towne will carry full stocks of fine printing papers, wrapping papers, paper products and twines.

The Oakland headquarters will occupy a large office and warehouse on the northeast corner of Third and Jefferson streets. From this warehouse deliveries will be made in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda as well as to all points in Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

### *Navy's New Engine*

A two-cylinder aircraft engine using heavy oil has been developed by the Navy department. If it proves as successful as tests seem to promise, according to Popular Science Monthly, a more powerful engine of the same type will be constructed. The new engine, invented by A. P. Attendu, is said to be of special value for dirigibles, because its fuel is nearly inflammable.

### Carry an Emergency Kit

An emergency kit for gasoline, oil and water gives you an assurance of security when you are touring, especially on a long trip. It also guarantees you the same grade of oil in out of the way places.

## Intense Canvassing of the County Going On By Some of the Contestants; Nearly 8000 Registered in Richmond

(By Our Staff Correspondent)

Sheriff R. R. Veale will run true to form according to radio messages from different points. They say he has opposition, but we have heard that for 32 years. Watch him come under the wire a winner, as usual.

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County Auditor Al Sullenger has a "pipe." He was a "little alarmed" at first, but when he put his picture in the papers, no aspirants would take a chance.

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Irene Hurley, county recorder, gives entire satisfaction in the office she so capably fills. She will be retained by the voters of Contra Costa, and deserves much praise for the excellent system inaugurated in the county recorder's office.

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Next Friday's issue will contain sketches of our popular candidates, Jasper H. Wells, John A. Miller, Charles L. Dodge, Aubrey Wilson, Henry Johnston and others, whose hats may arrive in the ring.

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The silent campaign may be all right where communities are made up of deaf mutes, but like the calliope in the circus parade, noise cuts a considerable figure.

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The Richmond end of the county is where the votes are the most numerous, and we might add, the "most uncertain."

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It is said that the Carquinez "political bridge" is still in an embryotic state, due to lack of structural material.

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Some of the candidates are complaining about their rabbits refusing to eat a certain brand of cabbage.

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The candidate's prayer: Oh, Lord, how long is this thing going to last?

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There are 22 more days left before the "agony is over."

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Remember the date—August 31.

Doc's slogan: "A doctor for a doctor's job." Doc Beard knows his stuff. He went across, and that's saying something. The vets are for him.

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Zeb Knott, supervisor for the first district, is going strong, gaining ground every day, and will roll up a substantial majority, as usual. There will be no contest or recount. His election will be definitely settled before the returns begin to arrive on the screen.

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County Assessor George Meese is another of Contra Costa's excellent officers. Meese has systemized the assessor's office in a way that reflects much credit on his originality and enterprise. It has required years of hard work to accomplish this, and to appreciate his services rendered one must visit his office and be shown. George Meese is popular and well liked by all. He is a home run hitter also.

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A great many flimsy excuses are made by politicians, candidates, publishers, and even women voters, for advocating certain principles and in campaigning for candidates who from the start have no chance, and who will never even reach "first base." But then "it's all in the game." We're traveling.

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It has been rumored (just a rumor) that Tax Collector Martin W. Joost has a competitor. Martin is an excellent batter. He has made several home runs, and will repeat as usual, August 31.

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The grass in the west end of the county will be pretty well tramped down during the last week of the campaign.

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To bridge or not to bridge the bay? is the question. John Bermingham has already furnished the plans. The bridge including the approaches would be 15 miles in length and 90 feet wide.

## Check Up on Worn Valve Stem Guides

When the valve stems in the engine of your car become badly worn it is almost a certainty that the valve stem guides or holes through which the stems pass are worn out of round. This permits air to be drawn through the inlet valves when they are open causing an imperfect mixture and resulting in bad starting as well as noise.

### Muffler Often Neglected

The muffler is a much neglected part of the average automobile. When the car lacks power the carburetor is adjusted or changed, the valves ground and new rings installed, but the average owner never gives a thought to cleaning out accumulated carbon in the muffler to relieve back pressure.

Bill Skimpton says that he never would have got back to his weight if it hadn't been for Martin's good eats. 10th and Macdonald.

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### The Palace Is All the Name Implies

A. D. Wickstrom has taken over the Palace Billiard Parlor at 318 Sixth street, formerly the postoffice building, and has renovated and changed the place into an attractive amusement hall that fully bears out the name Palace. Mr. Wickstrom is a fine young man and the parlor will surely attract the most exacting lovers of the games of billiards and pool. The tables, furnishings and general equipment are the best that money could buy.

A merchant's lunch department will soon be installed. When passing, call in and inspect this Palace and get acquainted.

### Fasten Battery Securely

You should keep the battery in your car fastened securely in the box. Either install hold-down clips or wedge the battery in the wood. If it is loose the jarring will break either the ground wire at the frame or terminals at the battery.

The Terminal is sending out hundreds of extra copies throughout the county.

## GET-AWAY

**You must try Champion Spark Plugs to prove how the hotter, more intense spark they produce increases the rapidity of your get-away. Why be left behind when the traffic signal flashes when a set of Champions will put you out in front!**

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***Unfortunate Affability***

"What did you say to the judge?"

"I said 'Good morning.'"

"He couldn't take offense at that."

"He did. It sounded so genial and familiar that he took it for granted I was an old offender."


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## FLOOD-WRECKED LEON INTERESTING PLACE

### Happiest and Busiest City of Mexico

Washington.—Nearly a thousand people were reported drowned when a dam broke and a wall of water descended upon Leon, fifth city of Mexico.

"Blotting out of the center of Leon is a serious catastrophe to Mexico," says a bulletin of the National Geographic society from its headquarters in Washington, D. C. "Comparatively it is a greater disaster than the Johnstown or Dayton floods, because Leon is one of the most important manufacturing centers of Mexico.

"Leon's extensive tanneries, cotton and woolen mills, and other manufacturies were close to the mountain stream which runs through the town. Gomez, the river is called, and when its waters broke loose it sent a flood through the heart of what has been called 'the happiest and busiest city of Mexico.' Into the wash of the flood the workmen's houses of adobe earth dissolved like lumps of sugar in hot tea.

**Sow and Reap at the Same Time.**

"Citizens of this industrial city cannot be held to account for not guarding against such a menace. After Leon had been swept, in 1888, by a similar flood which drowned 200 people, retaining walls and dikes more than a mile in length were built to protect the city. But apparently these walls could not cope with the rush of water.

"Leon, full name Leon de los Aldamas, is on the main line of the railroad from Mexico City to El Paso, in the westernmost corner of Texas, and has a population of 58,000. It is 250 miles northwest of Mexico City, and therefore lies in the famous Mexican highlands where altitude has denied the rights of latitude. A region that ought to be steamingly tropical or a hot desert has been elevated to a temperate-zone climate. It is not uncommon to see barley being sown in one field while it is being reaped in the next.

"Leon lies in such a fertile valley that agriculture holds its own easily against the competing demands of mining and manufacturing. Irrigation, however, is at once necessary and picturesque. The fertile valley round about is dotted with small reservoirs mirroring the clear blue skies.

"Citizens of Leon are proud of its industry. 'We are not rich,' they tell travelers, 'but we are workers.' They are proud of La Hormiga (The Ant) the largest tannery in Leon and presumably in Mexico. They grow enthusiastic over the cotton and woolen and silk mills using modern New England machinery. Yet large smoke-stacked factories are not to be seen, for two reasons. First, that electric power is the free gift of mountain streams and second, much of the manufacturing is done in the home. The bridles and saddles for which Mexico is famous are made largely at Leon. Their beauty lies in the tooling, the embroidery and the intricate silver ornaments. This is a task for the craftsman, and like the craftsman of the Middle ages, he works, in Leon, at his home.

"Names of the garments made in Leon are new to the average American. Different fashions reign so there is the serape, the robozo, the manta, and the poncho. The robozo is the peon woman's equivalent of the expensive mantilla of the upper classes. The manta is the white cotton garment worn by laborers everywhere. The poncho and serape are woolen shawls which serve as overcoat, blanket or raincoat as the need arises.

**Circuit of Romance.**

"A belle of Leon is very particular that her father shall live somewhere on Leon's street car line. It isn't that she is concerned that her father have easy transportation back and forth to work. It isn't that she worries about bringing the family supplies home from market. Street cars in Leon are vehicles of romance. Despite the Hollywood movies the senor does not come on a prancing mustang to his senorita in this corner of Mexico. He comes by street car.

"Wooing is called 'playing the bear' in Mexico. Once a young blood of most Mexican towns has fixed his fancy on a girl he stands long hours before her house. Sometimes he follows her as she promenades, but at a respectful distance. If his attentions are encouraged he receives an invitation to call with the family present during the session. But in Leon the belles and beaux begin differently. The street car line in the city makes a loop. The beaux, therefore, find it expedient to board a street car and ride past the houses of their beloved. Not once but again and again and round and round. And as the car rolls along, each watches his especial house for a signal. For the girls, of course, the custom introduces a delightful element of expectancy. One never knows just when the street car will round the corner. One never knows whether the 'bear' will be on that car. For the wooers of Leon it has this additional advantage, they get to see all the girls on the circuit."

### Clever These Czechs

Berlin.—An automobile driven by a Czech in a speedway race looped the loop and kept on racing. It turned a somersault and landed on all fours among the spectators. Nobody was killed just then.

## NAVAL ENGINEERS INVENT ENGRAVER

### New Device Makes Charts and Maps in Metal.

Washington.—A new method of engraving charts and maps in metal has been devised by the United States hydrographic office of the Navy department. This process, the invention of J. H. Larrabee and T. Peter Lampe, engineers of that office, results in increased accuracy and a considerable saving in time, as its operation permits the engineer to compile charts and maps directly on metal printing plates without the necessity of preparing a finished drawing.

This machine, named the Pantograver by its inventors, produces a chart plate from which charts are made which contain oceanographic and topographic features necessary to navigation, these plates being approximately 90 per cent complete when they leave the machine.

As partial evidence of the value of this machine, Mr. Larrabee said, one of its attachments for engraving soundings easily can engrave 4,500 figures in a day, whereas a skilled hand-engraver can engrave only about 300.

Laying an acid-proof etching ground on a highly polished copper plate, the operator sets the instrument for the required reduction and compensation, to make allowance for any distortion of the tracing original, due to paper shrinkage, moisture or other causes. Carefully following the design on the data print, the operator transfers the design by the pantograph principle to the copper plate by means of a diamond point, varying the depth and width of the lines by weights supported by this engraving tool.

Although there are a few symbols which the machine cannot insert, it was pointed out, such as blurs and sanded beaches, it is possible to attain absolute uniformity in the various symbols used in navigation as well as in the lettering, another of its ingenious devices being a method of inserting lettering on a curved line.

## Infant Is Rescued by Novel Operation

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Removal of a copper ring with a bronchoscope recently from the throat of Joseph Kesselman, thirteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kesselman, intercepted the possible death of the child from choking at the United Israel Zion hospital.

About a month ago Joseph was playing with a toy and in some manner he detached the ring and put it in his mouth. The parents were aware of the incident at the time, but took no alarm.

Later the child developed difficulty in swallowing, and after an examination the family physician ordered him to the hospital. An X-ray picture was taken, which showed the ring lodged behind the windpipe. The baby remained there for observation and two days later a second picture showed no signs of the trouble maker.

Despite the evident departure, Joseph continued to swallow with increasing hardship and a third picture again exposed the ring. By this time the child could hardly make a sound.

With an instrument known as the bronchoscope, consisting of a long metal tube about half an inch in diameter and a small hook attached to a tempered wire, the ring was removed without any incision.

The tube, fitted with a small electric-light bulb, was inserted in the child's throat. It was then a simple matter to reach down with the hooked wire and extract the ring.

"The process is similar to fishing," said one of the doctors, "only in this instance you do not wait for the fish."

Recovery was speedy and the child returned home the next day.

## Human Skull Unearthed; Thought 20,000 Years Old

Gibraltar.—Miss D. A. E. Garod, a student of the Institute de Paleontologie Humaine, Paris, who has been excavating here, has made an important discovery of portions of a human skull belonging to a young person.

The find was embedded in hard tufa with typical Mousterian implements.

The skull is of the same age and type as the celebrated "Gibraltar skull" discovered at Forbes quarry in the 1840s and now at the College of Surgeons museum, and according to a conservative estimate it is probably not less than 20,000 years old.

## Find Widows Prefer Single Men as Mates

Sacramento, Calif. — Gentlemen may prefer blonds, and then again they may not; but it can be stated positively, on the authority of the state board of health bureau of vital statistics, that widows prefer bachelors.

"Widows," says L. E. Ross, statistician of the bureau, who knows just how much business the marriage license clerks do each year and with whom, "show a very marked preference for single men."

Among widowers, on the other hand, single maidens are no more acceptable than widows when a second journey to the altar is contemplated, and either a widow or a single girl has a better chance of being proposed to by a widower than has a divorcee.

## SUN VARIABLE STAR, SCIENTIST ASSERTS

### Measure Changes in Energy From Orb to Earth.

Washington.—The sun is a variable star. This central fire of the planetary system does not glow with a steady heat but flickers from day to day and from year to year, and the vagaries of our earthly weather must depend at least partly on the sun's variations. This opinion, which has been supported for many years by Dr. C. G. Abbot of the Smithsonian institution, finds new support in evidence produced by a new system he has devised for measuring and recording the changes in the energy reaching the earth from the sun.

Doctor Abbot calls attention to the work of H. H. Clayton, who has announced that he finds variations of weather caused by solar changes. But many meteorologists have not been convinced that the sun really varies. They fear that the complicated measurements of Doctor Abbot, hindered as they are by the haziness and humidity of the earth's atmosphere, are not conclusive. The variability which he reports, they suggest, may all be due to unavoidable atmospheric sources of error.

**Announces a Direct Test.**

Doctor Abbot now announces a very direct test that should settle the question. Although it is impossible to do the measuring from a point outside the atmosphere, yet it is possible to select times when the transparency and other affecting qualities of the air are closely alike, and the sun stands at equal height above the horizon. At such times the solar heating should vary only if the sun does.

Selecting the month of July in the years 1910 to 1920 for his test, he collected results observed on Mount Wilson for all days of practically constant atmospheric conditions. The average monthly values thus selected he compared with those obtained by the usual process and heretofore published. He also compared them with the average monthly numbers of sun spots. The three curves that express his results run along very closely together. They show that the sun's heating in July, 1917, averaged over 2 per cent above that of July in 1910 and 1911. Correspondingly, the sun spot numbers were 117 in July, 1917, and only 14 and 8, respectively, in July 1910 and 1911.

Not content with this proof of the reality of long-range solar changes, Doctor Abbot rearranged the measures in a way to test short-interval solar variation. For this purpose he picked out from the new data all the days that gave high values of solar heating, and all those which give low ones. The average excess value for 51 high days was plus 1.43 per cent, and the average defect for 51 low days was minus 1.47.

**Range Not So Great.**

The same days, as already published four years ago, indicated on the average plus 0.51 and minus 0.42 per cent, respectively. Thus the days shown above normal by the new method of selecting times of equal atmospheric clearness had already been shown as above normal by the usual process, and vice versa. Of course the range as formerly published could not be so great, because the errors of observation could not be expected to fall the same in the two sets of data. Some days would be high and some low, not because of the sun's condition, but because the small observational errors helped to make them so.

Doctor Abbot's new method, he hopes, may be convincing of the sun's real variability. This will make all the more important and interesting his establishment under the joint auspices of the National Geographic society and the Smithsonian institution of a new solar observatory on Brukkaros mountain in southwest Africa. This site he selected last March after studying on the ground conditions in Algeria and Baluchistan. The mountain is 5,200 feet high in a desert where the yearly rainfall averages only 3½ inches. Roads and construction are rapidly going ahead under the supervision of A. Dryden, inspector of public works for the government of southwest Africa. The complex apparatus required has been prepared and the expedition is expected to go forward soon in care of W. H. Hoover, director, and F. A. Greeley, assistant.

## Religious Bodies' Wealth Placed at Three Billion

Washington.—The total wealth of all religious organizations in the United States in 1922 is estimated at $3,271,558,000 on a basis of returns received by the federal commission. The study is part of a voluminous report on national wealth and income made in response to a senate resolution.

The wealth of the religious organizations, it is disclosed, is slightly more than 2 per cent of the total estimated wealth of the country.

The largest single religious denomination, both in property and in membership, is the Roman Catholic church. Its membership embraced 38 per cent of the estimated entire church membership of the country in 1922. The estimated value of its church property represented 23 per cent of the total church property. In proportion to its size, however, the Protestant Episcopal church is the wealthiest of all, its church property being estimated at a value of $223 a member.

## CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

The July term federal grand jury was impaneled in San Francisco on the twenty-sixth of the month and held its first session the same day. The jury was called a week early to hear important evidence presented by Assistant United States Attorney General Mabel Walker Willebrandt. During her present visit to the coast Mrs. Willebrandt has held a series of conferences with United States District Attorney George J. Hatfield on prohibition enforcement. According to Mrs. Willebrandt the government's law enforcement personnel will be strengthened by weeding out those unfitted by previous training for law enforcement work, and when men fitted by character and given adequate previous training are secured the Volstead Act can and will be successfully enforced.

Nearly seven thousand persons were killed or injured by automobiles in this state during the first six months of 1926. This was revealed in a report issued by the State Division of Motor Vehicles, showing 699 killed and 6,282 injured during the half year period. Of the injured, 1,968 were classified as "seriously injured or crippled." More than fifty of the dead were victims of hit-and-run drivers. The metropolitan districts, as usual, had the heaviest percentage of accidents. Los Angeles and San Francisco alone reported 159 deaths.

Discovery of the fossil remains of what is said to be a pre-historic mammal approximately 25 feet long has been made on a ranch near Elk Grove, south of Sacramento, according to a statement by C. E. Swisher, owner of the property. The find was made following an explosion of dynamite 15 feet below the surface of the earth while Swisher was digging a pit for installation of an irrigation pump. The blast unearthed a fossil segment 6 feet 4 inches long and said to have carried the toes of an ancient monster.

Charles King, Hanford, Kings county, builder of Tulare Lake Railway and one of the best informed men in Kings county on the resources of the Tulare Lake Basin, is engaged in arranging the transportation of this season's crops, and says that in his opinion the total yield of grain in the lake bottom lands this year will approximate 500,000 sacks, of which all but about 40,000 will have been grown on lands under well irrigation. Of the total crop about 80 per cent will be wheat.

A. B. B. Deming, proprietor of an abstract company with offices in the Placer county court house claims the distinction of walking a distance equal to the circumference of the earth during trips to and from his office during the past 32 years. Deming, who lives on Acolia Heights, estimates that he has walked the round trip an average of 400 times each year, which would make a total of 25,600 miles in the 32 years.

Now comes a book asking California school children to puzzle over the high cost of good radio sets, the speeds of various automobiles and how far the mighty Babe Ruth can hit a baseball. Holding that modern youngsters of school age are tired of working arithmetic problems dealing with the dull doings of A and B and the distance between Y and Z, textbook publishers have asked the State Board of Education to approve questions of a snappier nature.

The trustees of the Galt Joint Union High School have called for a bond election for the purpose of issuing and selling bonds to the amount of $100,000, to be used in reconstruction of the high school, which was completely destroyed by fire two years ago. The election for the sale of bonds has been voted upon several times, but each time has failed to carry.

Plans and specifications for the new mammoth Pacific Fruit Express plant which is to be built at Antelope, about four miles south of Roseville, are now being prepared by company engineers. A contract for $1,500,000 for steel used in the new plant was recently let to a San Francisco firm. The new plant will number about twenty-five buildings, some of which will be 600 feet in length.

More peaches will be harvested in the Yucaipa Valley this year than ever before, according to reports coming in from the various orchards. All peaches have borne well this year, the early peaches exceptionally well and now the J. H. Hales are doing their bit to swell the total. The late peaches also give promise of a large yield.

Yuba county made a net gain of $227,625 in the assessment rolls for 1926 over 1925 it was shown in the annual report filed by County Assessor Tom E. Bavan. The total roll of the county shows $16,608,745. The gain in personal property assessments over 1925 is $27,715.

Warning sportsmen of the state that overfishing is exterminating steelhead trout in the streams of California, Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor emeritus of Stanford University, delivered a plea for conservation of the state's resources of wild life at a public meeting of the Monterey county chapter of the Isaac Walton League of America last week.

A double execution at San Quentin penitentiary on October 8 has been announced by Warden Frank J. Smith. Two men, both convicted of murder in Los Angeles county, are to satisfy the law by hanging.

More than $130,000 is to be spent by the A. D. Porter estate heirs in modernizing the Byrns hotel building at Woodland.

Commodore P. Murray, 75, prominent resident of Three Rivers, and the first white child born in Tulare county, died recently.

A 2,000 pound sunfish caught in Catalina waters by Zane Grey, the novelist, has been mounted for scientific purposes.

Premiums totalling $14,000 will be awarded to winning exhibitors in the various departments of the Stanislaus County Fair at Modesto, September 13 to 18.

A high pressure water system to combat with the fire menace, with a steam pumping engine on the banks of the Russian river, is being installed near Guerneville.

Playground equipment for the new Exeter kiddies' park, the first in the city, has been donated by the Exeter American Legion Post working with the Women's auxiliary.

John H. Espey, one of the earliest settlers in northwestern California, is dead at the age of 87. He had resided in Sonoma county for more than 60 years. His parents came across the plains in 1849.

The California State Highway Commission has filed suit to condemn land owners by Clark Burnham between Truckee and Tahoe City, claimed to be necessary for the state highway leading into Lake Tahoe from the Victory highway.

Several buildings belonging to a mining company near Mariposa were destroyed recently by a range fire which swept within a few miles of Coulterville before being placed under control by the concerted efforts of residents of the town.

The Hanford Board of Trade at Hanford, has taken up the movement for having all fruit shipped from local packing plants carry the label, Grown In Kings County, and has sent a letter making a request that all shippers see that such labels are used.

Congressman Clarence F. Lea will open the Western Sonoma-Marin Cattle Show at Valley Ford August 15. Lea will talk on legislative maters affecting farmers, and will also show the part cattle have played in the development of this part of the state. The show will be continued for three days.

The largest local conference of Seventh Day Adventists in the world will be held at Glendale, August 26 to September 5, inclusive, according to an announcement made by President O. O. Bernstein. Erection of a pavilion to seat 6500 delegates and the pitching of 625 tents will be started immediately.

The "vanishing American" isn't vanishing at all, in California at least, it was disclosed by L. E. Ross, chief of state bureau of vital statistics. Due to excess of births over deaths, Ross declared that Indian population of the state is increasing at rate of 100 redmen per year. California Indians now number 17,870, Ross said.

One hundred and forty-four purebred ewes and rams were cremated, and other property of the total value of $20,000 was destroyed in a fire which swept the Cadanasso tract north of Esparto, Yolo county, eighteen miles from Woodland. The fire started from a harvester working on a small tract of grain which was also destroyed.

The June bride crop for 1926 totaled 6,750, breaking all previous California records for the month of romance, it has been revealed by L. E. Ross, director of the state bureau of vital statistics. The marriage total last month broke Ross' preliminary estimate of Dan Cupid's activities by 260 and shattered the existing record, which was 6,412 weddings in June, 1925.

If poor handwriting is a sign of genius, as the popular saying has it, California is just now nurturing a generation of remarkable boys and girls. A. C. Olney, state commissioner of secondary schools, announced that examination of 500 pupils in representative high schools produced an average of only 53.2 per cent in penmanship. The test requirement was 62 per cent.

Twelve tomatoes that fill a cantaloupe crate and weigh fifteen pounds is a record that has been achieved by F. D. Brown of Bakersfield. They are without flaws or blemishes, having at no time suffered from the blight that has affected other tomatoes of the country. They were grown in a small plot in his backyard where he daily gathers three gallon buckettuls from eight or ten plants. The seeds, are of a special variety.

C. E. Berry, Santa Barbara county horticultural inspector, is concealing the bitter taste of squirrel poison strychnine with soda, and adds starch, syrup and glycerine. It is reported that the ground squirrels have grown wise, and that whenever they detect the characteristic flavor of the poison they fill up on green stuff instead of seeking water. Drinking water after eating strychnine is fatal, but with the vegetable feed afterward, the rodents are said to survive.

Marking the opening of a new era in Yosemite motoring, the Merced-El Portal link of the park highway was dedicated at Clark's mill, Mariposa county, Saturday, July 31. In the presence of high state and automobile officials, the road, built by the efforts largely of 400 San Quentin and Folsom convicts was opened for use.

Plans are on way for a two-story and basement fireproof club building for Alameda County American Legion. It is to be erected in Adams Park, between Grand avenue and Harrison street, Oakland, and will cost approximately $200,000.


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### *The Conservative*

This day comes E. Dallis to see me from Atlanta, and tells me how they do not have daylight saving time in Albany, Ga., where he dwells, and there is a clock there that strikes the hour, and a negro woman at his home who says, "Eleven o'clock all over the world." "Nay," quoth her mistress, "It is twelve o'clock in New York and nine o'clock in Denver and eight o'clock in San Francisco." "Well," said the ancient negro woman, "thank the Lord I live in a town where eleven o'clock is eleven o'clock."—F. P. A., in New York World.


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# AROUND THE HOME

By MARGARET BRUCE

WNU Service

## The Toothbrush Cupboard

What kind of care do you take of the family toothbrushes. Do they hang on hooks or on a rack directly over the bathroom basin, where they are exposed to dust, flying soap-flecks, odors, and dampness generally? Of course, that will never do, Madam Housewife!

The dentists tell us that almost as many of our tooth troubles come from germ-laden toothbrushes as from food decay. A toothbrush that is never thoroughly dried, never subjected to a good disinfectant, never sunned and aired and made sweet and wholesome, is not the implement to put into our own and our children's mouths. A damp toothbrush to which a coating of toothpaste still clings, attracts all sorts of invisible forms of decomposition, and the brush which isn't thoroughly rinsed and dried is as unhealthful as a half-rinsed, half-damp garment or half-clean, half-dry bedding.

The best way to treat a toothbrush is to dip it, after using, into some good antiseptic solution. A glass containing one teaspoon of a powerful disinfectant mixed with ten teaspoons of water is an efficient germ-killer. Some dentists recommend denatured alcohol or medicated alcohol.

After dipping the brushes in this solution, put them in a wide-mouthed bottle, brush end out, and stand them in the sunshine until absolutely dry. It is said that the direct rays of the sun kill germs, whereas the rays which come through glass will not. If the sun is not shining, dry the brushes over the radiator.

When the brushes are ready for use again, hang them in a special little cupboard, kept scrupulously clean, where they will be free from the dust and floating soap-particles in the bathroom. Individual holders for the brushes are good provided the brushes are perfectly dry, but the circulation of some air is good for them. The main thing is to see that all food particles, bits of toothpaste or powder, and other germ-producing matter is entirely removed after every using, and that the brush is first disinfected and then dried.

## Beautifying the Practical

Every so often I feel it my special mission in life to protest against the general ugliness of our common household appliances. Why on earth we should have a charming heart-brush in the living room and a hideous yellow-handled red-labelled broom in the kitchen, I don't see. Why should the tea-cart in the dining room be lovely to look at and the ironing-board in the laundry be "as plain as an old maid's face," as the old saying was many years ago.

Recently I have been trying to educate some of the manufacturers of household tools, implements and furniture by writing to them and suggesting amusing decorative handles, gay coats of paint or enamel, and perhaps a bit of really good designing in the shape of the article itself. If they only knew it, women would buy their wares just twice as fast if they were beguiled by a delft blue dust-pan, an ironing-board with the legs painted sage green and buff, or a carpet sweeper of orange and black. A set of kitchen forks and dish mops with blue handles to match the blue-tiled linoleum would be irresistible to most housewives.

Well, they'll do it some day, and then we shall have beautiful refrigerators as well as beautiful highboys, attractive gas stoves as well as lovely open fireplaces. Meanwhile, we must do the best we can by beautifying our practical household conveniences ourselves. Get a few cans of bright enamels, carrying out the color plan of your kitchen and dining-nook, possibly, and make your prosaic tools lovely to look at and fun to work with. Brighten up the ironing board standard, paint up the step-ladder, doll up the broom and brush handles, decorate the carpet sweeper. Paint the plain kitchen table, decorate the plain kitchen chairs. Use blue and white and yellow bowls to mix things in.

There is no place in the modern kitchen, gay with crisp curtains, pots of flowers on the sill, and rows of pretty plates on the wall, for the unadorned and ugly tools of common household service. If the makers will not beautify them, we must do it ourselves.

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# The KITCHEN CABINET

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A meal should be regarded as an important end in itself. It should be taken at leisure, body and mind being given up to it, and to agreeable social intercourse.

## "GO TOGETHER" FOODS

In the study of foods, if we plan the proper menus we will not feast one day and fast the next.

We should avoid serving of cream soup, fat meat, sweet potatoes, a vegetable with drawn butter sauce and a salad with a rich mayonnaise dressing—all dishes of high fuel value—in one meal.

Dishes hard to digest should be withheld entirely from children. The custom of feeding small children away from the family table is a good one, as then they need not see or want foods not good for them.

Concentrated foods should be served with things which will serve to dilute them, hence the custom of serving dry crackers with cheese or cheese combined with rice, macaroni, hominy or bread and milk in various dishes.

Butter, another concentrated food is used on bread and potatoes, making a balanced ration.

Small portions of foods well-masticated will be well-digested while overeating will cause trouble.

If the family has a light meal for one of the day it should be the cook's plan to make up the deficiency in the next meal.

Planning the meals a week or more ahead gives the housewife an opportunity to use wisely the foods at hand and thus avoid waste.

Condiments aid digestion, add flavor and enhance the pleasure of many foods; they should be served sparingly and never given to children.

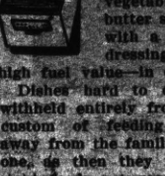
The reason for serving apple sauce with pork is that the acid of the apple helps in the digestion of the pork and so it seems an agreeable combination.

It is a good plan for the housewife to keep a chart of foods that are good to serve together. Roast of beef, Yorkshire pudding, lamb with peas, steak with fried onions or mushrooms and such other vegetables as are appropriate.

Take occasional trips to some tea-room or hotel where food is served nicely, to learn new ways of serving food and new combinations and garnishes.

## EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS

For a delicious breakfast bread you might try the following:



Sally Lunn.—Mix at night one cupful of milk, two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of sugar and four cupfuls of flour with one-half cupful of good yeast. Cover closely and put to rise, giving plenty of room for rising. In the morning beat well, turn into greased muffin pans and set to rise an hour, then bake in a moderate oven.

Tongue on Toast.—This is another good breakfast dish which uses the rough pieces of boiled tongue. Mince the tongue, adding a bit of onion juice, nutmeg, salt and pepper, a tablespoonful of chopped green pepper. Prepare a rich white sauce, using half milk and half broth with the tongue, adding two tablespoonfuls each of flour and butter cooked together. Sweet cream may be used instead of milk, omitting the milk and butter; add the tongue and pour over squares of buttered toast.

Gateau a la Africaine.—Beat three eggs, add three-fourths of a cupful of sugar and the same of flour. To the beaten yolks add the sugar, beat well, add the flour and beaten whites, stirring lightly, add flavoring, and bake in patty tins. When cool remove the centers, fill with whipped cream sweetened and flavored and put together in pairs. Cover with chocolate icing.

Welsh Rabbit.—Cut one-half pound of cheese into bits, put it into a saucepan, scald a pint of milk, add a beaten egg to which has been added two tablespoonfuls of flour and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Let this mixture cook, stirring until smooth, then pour the milk into the cheese and beat vigorously with an egg beater. Season to taste with cayenne pepper and serve on hot buttered toast or large crackers which have been browned and buttered lightly.

Cocoa Angel Food.—Take one-fourth of a cupful of cocoa, fill the cup with flour. Beat one cupful of egg whites until stiff, add one cupful of sugar and one-fourth teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Fold in the flour and cocoa and bake in a tube pan just as angel food. Serve with strawberries and ice cream.

Another nice dessert with ice cream is one made with a sponge cake recipe, baked in a sheet. Put a slice of brick ice cream on a square of cake, cover with another, cover with strawberries crushed and sweetened, with a spoonful of whipped cream for a garnish and serve.

Serving meals in courses helps the artistic effect of a meal and it is often easier than getting the meal all on the table at once; however, without a maid, this is not always convenient.

Nellie Maxwell

## Girl Floats Five Hours in Ocean

Miami Beach, Fla.—Miss Sven Bohman, twenty-seven, of New York, believed to have been drowned on shore in attempting to save an unidentified man from drowning, returned here after being rescued in the gulf stream.

Miss Bohman, while in the surf, responded to the cries of a man in distress almost a mile from shore near the government jetties. On her return here she said that she was carried out to sea after failing to reach the man, and soon developed cramps, which prevented her from swimming back to shore. Darkness found her floating in the gulf stream beyond sight of land, she said, and for five hours she swam and floated in the current before being rescued by a fishing craft, which took her to Fort Lauderdale, Fla. She appeared little worse for her experience.

## GIRL JAILED FOR 4-YEARS' EXTORTION

### Stenographer Keeps It Up Too Long.

New York.—In the last four years Frederick R. Hazard paid out more than $25,000 to keep a brunette stenographer from tattling to his wife, but the stenographer became too ambitious, so she's in the Jefferson Market prison, charged with extortion.

Four years ago Hazard was keeping the books of the Allied Chemical company, and Gertie Hogan was a stenographer there. Hazard had a wife and two children and his father was worth $16,000,000. He didn't have to work, but he liked it. And he liked Gertie.

When the third baby came to his wife at Kingston, R. I., however, Hazard decided it was time to quit—both Gertie and the Allied Chemical company. But Gertie came again and again to see him, asking money. He sent her to the Adirondacks "for her health." He sent her to California "for her health."

She got $500, married a man named Arthur Davis and went West with him. She divorced him in California and married Ernest Fosnaugh a few days after her divorce. It was he who made her demand $10,000, she said. She got it. Later she got $5,000 more. Then $2,500.

In June, six days after her marriage, she phoned Hazard and said she must have $5,000 more, and if she didn't get the money she was going to see Mrs. Hazard and "tell all."

Then Hazard got a trap and she was arrested.

## Finds Norse Record of Indian Battle in 1010

Spokane, Wash.—Prof. Olaf Opsjon, authority on Norse history, has continued the deciphering of weird Runic inscriptions on a huge bowlder near here in the hope the characters may reveal further traces of what he believes were the first North American viking explorations.

Having established to his own satisfaction that characters deciphered recently tell of a conflict between a band of Norsemen and Indians in the year 1010 A. D., in which the red men were victorious, Professor Opsjon is working on additional inscriptions partly covered by moss and other growths. These, he said, may be the records of a still earlier expedition.

The ancient markings are on a huge lava rock 350 feet in circumference, standing about 25 feet high on a rough hillside. The characters are ideographs, each representing a thought equivalent to several words.

## Tomcat, 2 Horses, Bull Rout 3 Circus Lions

Cremona, Italy.—The peaceful public square of Cremona, filled with farmers attending a cattle fair, was transformed into the semblance of an ancient Roman arena when five lions, part of a traveling circus menagerie, escaped and attacked the terror stricken horses and cattle.

The farmers took to their heels, but two high-bred horses and a prize bull, aided by a tough tomcat, gave battle and, although torn by the teeth and claws of the wild beasts, fought to such effect that three of them retired, cowed, into their cages.

The two others were captured in a grocery store in a nearby town. The keeper, who had accidentally left the cage door unlatched, was arrested.

## Attacked by Snake

York, Pa.—Attacked by a big black snake at her home, Mrs. Cynthia Chancellford ran a mile over the hills for aid, with the snake girdled around her neck and almost choking her. She was near collapse from pain and shock when the reptile was killed by men who went to her assistance.

## Speedy Divorce Mill

Atlanta, Ga.—In one morning, Judge G. H. Howard of the Fulton Superior court disposed of 75 undefended divorce cases at the rate of one every minute and fifty-four seconds.

## Shock Kills

Marthasville, Mo.—The shock of her husband's death, prostrating her with grief, resulted in the death of Mrs. Christ Stegen of this place.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## Old English Township Given Dignity of City

Salford, the great manufacturing township of Lancashire, England, which has benefited by the creation of the Manchester ship canal, is at last to be elevated to the dignity of a city, thus bringing it into line with its neighbor, Manchester. The two cities are divided only by the narrow and greasy waters of the River Irwell, crossed by many bridges. Victoria railway station, the most important of Manchester, really stands in Salford.

While Salford became one of the ancient hundreds (with power to administer laws, as in the case of manorial rights), Manchester was so poor, having been devastated by Danish invaders, that its territory was included in the jurisdiction of Salford. On the other hand, Manchester had ecclesiastical buildings when Salford had none, and not until 1634 did Salford own a chapel. Now it possesses a cathedral, in company with Manchester.

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### A Way Out

"Well, how did you and Johnny get along?" Robert, nine years old, was asked after he came in from playing ball with a small friend of his.

"Not so well," Robert answered. "He threw a rock at me, and hit me, so I bit him back. Then he told a big boy, and he came out and started fighting."

"I suppose you ran. Why didn't you fight back?"

"Oh, well, I had to come home anyway," said Robert, settling the matter.

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### Moon Lopsided

Prof. E. W. Brown, of Yale university has, after many calculations, come to the conclusion that the moon is lopsided with quite a pronounced bulge at the top. He explains the irregularity by saying that the heavier materials of its substances are what appear to the eye at the bottom and that a bulging of the upper surface is required if the moon is to balance itself in space.

If two people would neither borrow nor lend there would be more lifelong friendships.

### A Perennial One

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### Last of Sultanic Line

Mehmed VI, who died recently in Switzerland at the age of sixty-five, was the last of the Turkish sultans. He was the grandson of Mahmud II, who abolished the Janissaries, and the fourth of the sons of Abdul Medid to ascend the Ottoman throne. He was brought to the throne by his brother's deposition in July, 1918, and showed himself a determined opponent of the committee of union and progress. In November, 1922, he was in turn deposed by the Angora national assembly, and fled on board a British warship to Malta. He passed his entire exile in Switzerland.

### Success and Failure

Uncle Joe Cannon on his ninetieth birthday in Danville ta... reporter about success and ...

"Too many of us," he said, "are like a fisherman I came across one day on a walk in the country.

"'Catching anything, friend?' I said to him.

"'Naw,' said he. 'Every time a car goes over the bridge it scares all the fish down stream.'

"'Well, friend, why don't you move down stream a little?'

"'They ain't no comfortable rocks there.'"

### Good Prices for Stamps

Rare old stamps of the South are in much demand in New York. A three-cent stamp issued at Tuscumbia, Ala., in 1858, recently sold for $680, while a two-cent, semi-official Charleston (S. C.) stamp, issued in 1851-8, brought $100. Philatelists paid $155 each for Confederate States of America provisional issues, a Macon (Ga.) five-cent yellow stamp and a Memphis (Tenn.) five-cent red on orange stamp.

### To Utilize Ocean's Power

A patent was recently issued in Washington for a seapower motor to "harness the breakers." Cables, floats and elaborate machinery are used to convert into power the force expended by the ocean as it breaks upon the shore.

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JOHN A. MILLER

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Primary Election August 31, 1926

GEORGE O. MEESE

Candidate for Re-election as
ASSESSOR
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RE-ELECT CHARLES L.
DODGE

For County
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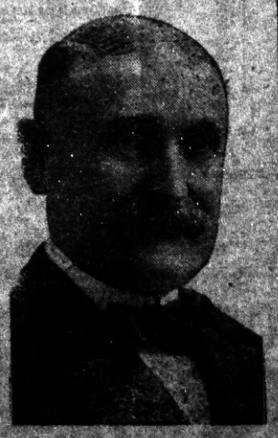
Re-Elect
R. R. VEALE



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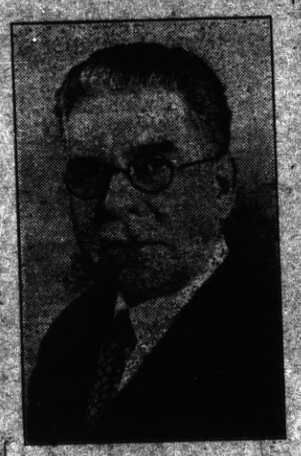

County Auditor
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
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R. P. Easley
(Incumbent)

CANDIDATE FOR
ASSEMBLYMAN
(EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT)
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
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H. A. Johnston

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SUPERVISOR
(First District)
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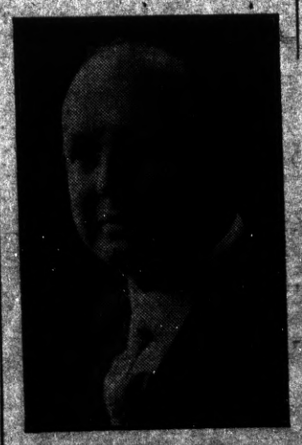
Aubrey Wilson



Candidate for the Office of
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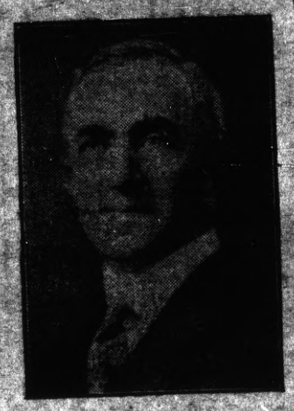
RE-ELECT
Martin W. Joost
(Incumbent)



Tax Collector
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
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RE-ELECT
ZEB KNOTT
(Incumbent)

AND DATE FOR
SUPERVISOR
(First District)
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"A Doctor for a Doctor's Job."
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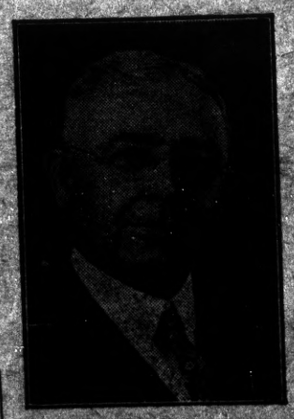
RE-ELECT
Jasper H. Wells
(Incumbent)
CANDIDATE FOR



COUNTY CLERK
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
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## Deserving Young Man Is Candidate For Administrator

Raymond Johnson, 27, the present Public Administrator of Contra Costa county, was born in Martinez. He is the son of Mr. S. Johnson and the late Annie Johnson. He is a brother of Mrs. Esther Murray of Pittsburg, Mrs. Hazel Filomeo, Mrs. Elsie Pino, Blanche Irene Johnson, Robert Johnson and Rudolph Johnson of Martinez.

He was educated in the public schools of Contra Costa county, graduated from the Martinez grammar school in the year 1915, and from the Alhambra Union High School in 1919. Johnson is physically incapacitated for hard labor by reason of his having the use of one leg only since birth. He took a commercial course in high school and learned stenography and typewriting. Since graduating from high school he has been engaged in that line of work and has spent his time in in local law offices and doing typewriting for commercial firms in Martinez. He is capable, honest and industrious and well fitted to perform the duties of the office of Public Administrator.

He was elected City Clerk of the Town of Martinez April 5th, 1924, and has filled that office in a highly creditable manner ever since and to the satisfaction of the board of town trustees.

He was appointed Public Administrator by the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County on June 21, 1926, to fill the vacancy created by the death of Public Administrator Charles R. Daley. The board made this appointment after looking into his qualifications and his fitness for the office.

While Mr. Johnson is unable to walk except with crutches, still he is able to run an automobile and can thus get to all parts of the county wherever duty calls him, but it will not be possible for him to call upon all the voters of Contra Costa county before election as by reason of his physical condition he cannot get around very rapidly, so he hopes to be excused if he has not the pleasure of meeting each voter personally.

Your favorable consideration of Mr. Johnson is therefore most respectfully requested and you are likewise urged to interest yourselves to the extent of going to the polls and showing by your vote that you are interested in encouraging this type of young man in an earnest effort to support himself and those dependent upon him.

The office of Public Administrator pays no salary. The Public Administrator is paid a fee out of the estates handled. Nevertheless, it is important that the estates of people who die here leaving no heirs in this county should be carefully and economically cared for. Raymond Johnson will do this.

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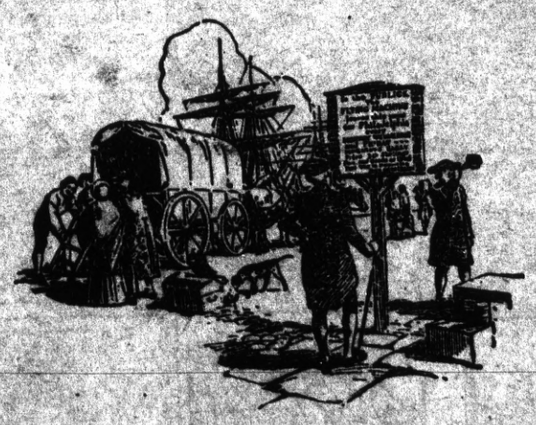

## Conquering Limitations

JOHN MERCEREAU'S stage coach lumbered its creaking way from New York to Philadelphia in a day and a half, in 1771, and was considered so fast that it was called "The Flying Machine." When steam came into use, there were the "Comet," the "Thunderbolt" and similar names, suggesting the attainment of the age-old need—speedy messengers.

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# THE WORLD'S GREAT EVENTS

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## Marc Antony

MARC ANTONY—hero and buffoon; true lover and faithless husband; great general and greater mountebank; orator, statesman, voluptuary and trifler—threw away the world for love. He was the hero of the most stirring real-life romance in history. He might have been a second Julius Caesar or even Alexander. He preferred to be the helpless adorer of the Egyptian queen, Cleopatra.

As a mere lad, Antony served with distinction in Rome's Syrian and Egyptian wars, and later in Gaul under Caesar, whose lifelong friend he became. When Pompey made the senate order Caesar to disarm, Antony, as tribune of the people, vetoed the bill and then fled to Caesar's camp disguised as a slave, pretending his life was in danger for his loyalty. He fought valiantly in the Gallic wars and deserves much credit for Rome's victories. As reward, when Caesar became dictator, Antony was made second in command and appointed governor of all Italy.

In his latter capacity he launched on a course of wild dissipation that set Rome aghast. The orator Cicero thundered invectives against him, and he was regarded as a hopeless failure in life. Yet at the call to arms he was at once in the field, aiding Caesar against Pompey and winning battle after battle. His soldiers worshiped him. He joked with them around the camp-fire, got royally drunk with them—was, in fact, their boon companion.

When Caesar was assassinated the conspirators had planned to rule Rome and had persuaded the people to justify their murderous act. But Antony, by a fiery and brilliant oration over Caesar's body, so aroused the popular mind against them that the murderers were compelled to flee for their lives. Then, summoning Caesar's nephew and adopted son, Octavius, Antony raised an army and marched to punish the chief conspirators, Brutus and Cassius. In two successive battles, while Octavius lay idly in his tent, Antony completely crushed the conspirators and avenged his friend's murder. He incidentally, made himself virtual ruler of the earth, with Octavius as his colleague.

The two divided the world between them, Antony choosing the eastern half and leaving Octavius the western.

Cleopatra, queen of Egypt, was suspected of having sided with the conspirators. Antony resolved to bring her to trial for treason, as Egypt was practically subject to Rome.

Cleopatra was one of the rare women who have arisen at various periods in history to overthrow empires, leave behind them a world full of trouble and disaster and to wreck the careers of the greatest men. As a girl she had met Caesar, won his love and induced him to reseat her on the throne of Egypt, whence a family quarrel had forced her. She had even, for love of Caesar, poisoned her husband, Ptolemy.

She now tried similar tactics on Antony. At first sight of her beauty the man who had come thither as her judge became her slave. For her sake he cast away dreams of empire and let his glorious deeds of the past sink out of memory. In Alexandria the two set up a monarchy of luxury, dissipation and extravagance that became the scandal of the civilized world.

For reasons of state, Antony had married Octavia, the sister of his colleague, Octavius. She was his fourth wife. He now divorced her for Cleopatra, thus mortally offending Octavius. The latter had been busy making the most of Antony's mad infatuation to forward his own career. Cold, crafty, heartless, he had steadily undermined Antony's influence at Rome and had so strengthened himself there that a few years later he was able to declare himself emperor, under the title of Augustus. Antony had put an end to republican Rome by defeating the conspirators. Octavius reaped the fruits of his former friend's labors.

Octavius decided to get rid of Antony forever. To this end he made war on Cleopatra. Antony espoused her cause, and the two rival powers met in a great sea fight near Actium. Here Antony's genius again flashed up. He was rapidly winning the battle, when, from sudden caprice, Cleopatra ordered her galley rowed away from the scene. Antony, thinking her wounded, forgot all about the battle and followed her. Deprived thus of its leader, his whole fleet fled. For a while in subsequent warfare he held his own against Octavius. But the sun of his success was set. Cleopatra sent secret messages of submission to Octavius, who replied by telling her that the murder of Antony would be the most acceptable proof of her surrender. She accordingly had word sent to Antony that she was dead.

Broken-hearted, the lover did not wait to verify the tale, but fell upon his sword, dying for the false woman whose lures had made him throw away a world. Cleopatra, finding that the cold Octavius' heart could not be won as Caesar's and Antony's had been, and learning that she was to go to Rome as a prisoner, forced a poisonous snake to bite her and died.

Marc Antony killed himself in 30 B. C. at the age of fifty-three, having in that time run the gamut of every human experience and achievement.

# The KITCHEN CABINET

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Who is the wisest woman—she who says the right thing at the right time? No, indeed—but she who leaves unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment.

## SALADS

The salads which follow may be properly termed national as they are the favorite salads of the people in several countries or localities, the name of which is given to the salad:

**French Potato Salad.**—Cut cold boiled potatoes into dice, add one small onion finely-chopped, a few tablespoonfuls of finely-chopped chives and a tablespoonful of minced parsley. Let stand for an hour or two to season with a French dressing, adding a generous amount of cayenne. Serve on lettuce and top each serving with a spoonful of rich mayonnaise; sprinkle with minced chives.

**German Salad With Sausage.**—Boil four breakfast sausages twenty minutes, cut into half-inch pieces. Boil one-half pound of sauerkraut ten minutes, drain and cool and mix with the sausage. Cut thin slices of winter radish into very thin slices and arrange around the dish, sprinkle with finely-minced shallot, pickles and capers. Serve with French dressing.

**Cuban Salad.**—Break four or five dry soda crackers, shred two green peppers, slice one Spanish onion very thin, skin, bone and chop six anchovies. Serve on lettuce with French dressing.

**Montese Salad.**—Bake four mild-flavored onions until tender, remove the peeling and put a lump of butter on each with salt and pepper. When cold cut into quarters and mix with four hard cooked eggs cut into quarters and six sardines boned and chopped. Add parsley and a teaspoonful of curry to a boiled dressing and serve.

**Russian Tomato and Sardine Salad.**—Arrange a bed of lettuce in a salad bowl. Peel four tomatoes of medium size, cut fine and mix with a few sardines boned and chopped. Place on lettuce and serve with mayonnaise.

**Chicken Salad a la American.**—To one cupful of finely-minced cooked chicken add one cupful of tender celery finely cut, one apple minced fine, one-half of a green pepper also minced. Mix with a highly seasoned boiled dressing and serve on lettuce.

## SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS

Salads are always acceptable. The following is nourishing enough to take the place of a main dish at a meal:

**East India Salad.** Cream until smooth two cream cheeses with one-half cupful of equal parts of cream and milk, add one-half cupful of grated cheese, three-fourths of a tablespoonful of gelatin softened in a tablespoonful of cold water, then add one tablespoonful of boiling water. Season with paprika and cayenne and turn into a border mold. Chill thoroughly, remove from the mold, arrange on a bed of lettuce and serve with the following sauce:

**Curry Sauce.**—Mix one-fourth of a teaspoonful of pepper with three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of cayenne, five tablespoonfuls of olive oil, three tablespoonfuls of mild vinegar and one teaspoonful of curry. Beat with a dover egg beater until well blended.

**Lettuce With Sherry's Dressing.**—Mix three-fourths of a cupful of olive oil with five tablespoonfuls of vinegar, one teaspoonful of powdered sugar, one small southern onion chopped fine, one tablespoonful each of red and green pepper, one teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of cayenne. Put into a mason jar and shake for five minutes. Set on ice and let stand an hour; shake well before using. Serve on lettuce.

**Creole Loaf.**—Take one and one-half pounds of meat—pork and beef mixed; one good-sized onion chopped, salt, pepper and one cupful of cooked oatmeal; make into a loaf, adding a cupful of tomato. Place in a baking pan and pour over the loaf another cupful of tomato and one-half of a chopped onion. Roast, basting often. Thicken the gravy, serve with the meat. Bake one-half hour in a moderate oven.

**Lamb Patties.**—Put through the meat grinder any uncooked meat from the shoulder or neck, form into balls, wrap each in strips of bacon, skewer with a toothpick and fry until the bacon is crisp and brown. Serve the patties with a pan gravy.

Now that the field mushroom is in season there are so many delightful dishes which may be prepared with them. Creamed and served in patty shells of timbal cases, served with broiled beefsteak, by cooking them in a little butter and adding them to the beefsteak gravy. Creamed on toast or in combination with sweetbreads, broiled and served on toast and any number of other ways will be suggested as they are used. It is a pity that this delicious vegetable should go to waste from lack of appreciation, as often there will be found bushels of them in the fields.

Nellie Maxwell

# "The Rich New Yorker"

By ROSE MEREDITH

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LUELLA FRAYNE was coming home after her long-talked-about winter in New York city. She had been staying with her mother's cousin, Mrs. Peterby, a rich and fashionable woman, who had offered to add the finishing touch to Luella's musical education by sending her to a famous pianist for lessons. And although Luella did not expect to do more than teach piano to the young people of her home town, the fact that she was a pupil of the great Bimskitoff brought her many requests from anxious mothers to register Jane or Jimmy among her prospective pupils.

"Goodness, I will be a rich woman!" sighed Luella as she relaxed in delicious idleness in the chair of the pullman car. She glanced down at her smart blue serge frock that Cousin Almira had supplied, as well as the short marten jacket and the small hat which had a crown of gold cloth. Mrs. Peterby had given her many other pretty things and promised to send her a check to help with her trousseau, for Luella was going to be married—some day. She was engaged to David Lister, an energetic home-town boy who had built a drug store on the site of the old courthouse and equipped it in the most modern manner. Dave was a licensed pharmacist, and one of the girls, Cissy Wing, had written enthusiastically: "Dave has the most up-to-the-minute drug store in the county—he is earning heaps of money—you will never spend all the money you can make by teaching piano—everybody in Roseboro will join your class! Poor Maria Barber is heartbroken, Lu! Says her music class has dwindled to two, so far, neither pupil pays cash—poor old soul, she is a good teacher, too—remember she trained you so that your Bumskeeter, or whatever his name is, said you had been well drilled. Well, we shall all be glad to see you again, and I suppose you are very fashionable now—and have you seen that rich New Yorker again? I told Dave—he looked terribly jealous. Don't mind if we copy all your clothes, do you?"

Luella reread the letter, smiling mischievously at the reference to David's jealousy. She had a plan that would open the eyes of Roseboro, and Dave could take it or not as a declaration of independence. She had learned a lot of things in New York, among them the delightful fact that she was a very pretty girl. She had met some amusing girls who taught her to smoke, and she had learned golf and to wear knickers on occasions without feeling self-conscious. As for David Lister, when she tired of teaching, perhaps they would get married, but there was that nice Mathieson boy in New York who was a millionaire.

Just then the train reached the junction, and she saw her father's rusty little car, for Doctor Frayne was quite poor, though he had a large practice among the poor. But he was a contented man, and his little family was a happy one.

It was an hour after supper in Roseboro, and as the news had gone around that Luella was home, all the young people gathered about Dave Lister's store. Dave had been busy and could only talk to Luella over the telephone, but he was very smiling and happy for she was coming down to the store. He was alone when she arrived. For some reason she had taken a cross-cut and come in the side door, and David was thankful—as soon as he saw her his face went white and wrathful.

Luella Frayne, Luella, clad in white silk blouse and trim gray tweed knickerbockers, her lovely hair bobbed and on her feet sport hose and impudent little tan oxfords.

She was smoking a cigarette! Hands in her pockets! She looked expectantly at David.

"Well, young fellow, what can I do for you?" snapped out Dave.

Luella picked up a soda mug and thumped the counter angrily. "Don't speak to me that way, Dave Lister! You know who I am—p-perfectly w-well."

"You are the girl who is going to marry the rich New Yorker, I believe," said Dave coldly. "I was engaged to Doctor Frayne's daughter, but she has thrown aside all pretensions to femininity, and smokes like—like a chimney!"

"You are not engaged to her now, then?" Luella's voice was small and weak. "Didn't you hear that the rich New Yorker was engaged to another girl—and—that I only put these on to have a little fun—and I shall give them to Bobby—and I just hate cigarettes, they make me sick!"

"But, those?"

Luella looked down at the gray tweeds regretfully. "I suppose you wouldn't want your wife to wear these, Dave?"

"The girl I asked to marry me didn't look like that, Luella, but you do look as cute as the dickens—but, somehow, I just can't like them—that pink dress you used to wear, Lu, now that!"

"I'm going home, David, by the short cut, and I'll stop and tell Marie Barber that I've decided not to teach music because I'm getting married, and I'll tell father that Cousin Amelia is sending him a new closed car, and I'll put on the pink dress, and then—"

"And then?" he smiled.

"You may kiss me!" And then she vanished, and with her went that foolish rumor, the rich New Yorker.


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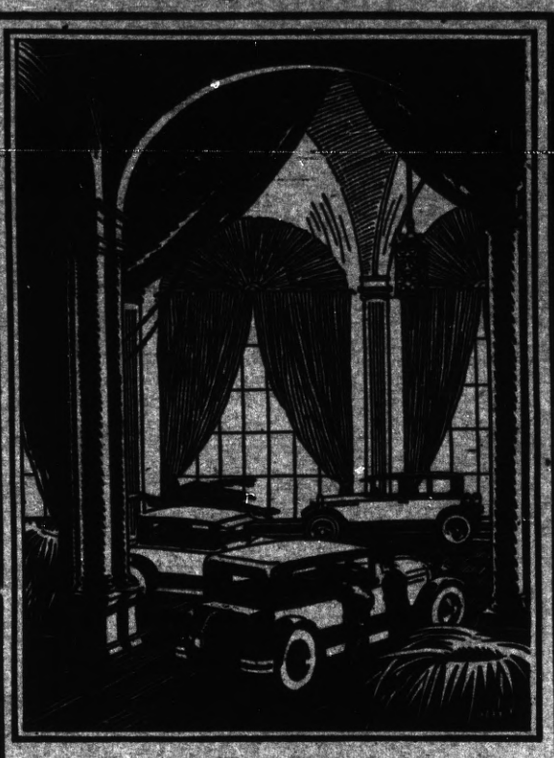

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"I suppose you ran. Why didn't you fight back?"

"Oh, well, I had to come home anyway," said Robert, settling the matter.

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## Moon Lopsided

Prof. E. W. Brown, of Yale university has, after many calculations, come to the conclusion that the moon is lopsided with quite a pronounced bulge at the top. He explains the irregularity by saying that the heavier materials of its substances are what appear to the eye at the bottom and that a bulging of the upper surface is required if the moon is to balance itself in space.

If people would neither borrow nor lend there would be more lifelong friendships.

## A Perennial One

"Pa, what's a valedictorian?"

"A valedictorian, my son, is the one who speaks last."

"Then ma is a valedictorian, isn't she, pa?"

A microphone has been invented in England which so magnifies the ticking of a watch that it sounds like the explosion of a gasoline engine.


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This heroic statue of the commander-in-chief of the first armies of the United States was made for the city of Portland, Oregon, though not yet delivered there by the artist. The western municipality has loaned it to the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, opening in Philadelphia June 1 and continuing until December 1, to celebrate 150 years of American Independence. At the foot of the sculpture is shown Pompeo Coppini, the sculptor. Dr. Henry Waldo Poe, of Portland, declares the face to be the most correct likeness of Washington ever modeled.


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FRIDAY, Aug. 6, 1926


### Political Plot Thickens.

Surprises frequently occur in the political game. In the gubernatorial race, a triangular contest, the well seasoned forecaster might say the incumbent holds the edge. The present contest will be watched with interest, and the winner will not have one of those old-time endorsements. Honors will be divided. The voters of California are beginning to do some thinking and listening.

Rex B. Goodcell, the candidate from the south is making a telling campaign, especially among the women voters. Goodcell is gaining the confidence of the people, and his earnest appeal and clean campaign have won him many friends and supporters north of the Tehachapi and around the bay. Judge Rex B. Goodcell is going to surprise some of the "over confident" August 31st.

### Politics and Business

The business man is frequently heard to say, "I'm not interested in politics." But he is, and consciously knows that he is fibbing. Every business man has a specific and direct interest in politics. Business is inextricably tied up with politics today and will continue to be so for ages. But we should not forget that one of the most important factors in politics and business is taxation.

### Yosemite Now Available

The opening of the Yosemite all year highway which follows the Merced River canyon to Yosemite Park, marks an epoch in road building in California. This is the road that has been talked about for many years. It means that motorists will be able to drive into the famous valley all year round. The road is a high gear road all the way. The route is through Merced, thence to Mormon Bar, to Mariposa and along a new road to the Merced River canyon at Briceburg, thence up the canyon to El Portal where the state road joins the government road into Yosemite Park.

The duplicate bridge political coup is not securing the endorsement of the business men of the county, according to reports. Contra Costa's supervisors, are men whom the people can trust in conducting the county's business. They know how to safeguard the interests of the people, and are doing it excellently in limiting bridge accommodations to supply and demand.

Line of least resistance—spending the other fellow's money.

## Albany Continues to Build Homes and Grow

Albany is growing right along, notwithstanding some say the supply of new homes is greater than the demand. The building permits do not bear out this argument.

Permit Clerk Brewer issued 45 permits during July, and did not think it worth while saying much about it, as he usually issues many more than this number. The number issued in July was a little below the average. The amount of money involved on the July permits was a few dollars less than $100,000.

## Plaintiff and Defendant Both Lose in Damage Suit

Frank S. Davis, Albany's efficient speed cop, won his suit with Fred W. Schultz, the Arbuckle capitalist, who mixed it with Davis, when the latter hailed him for speeding near the county line a year ago. Schultz brought suit for $51,000, and how Frank could ever pay such an amount without knocking off a few ciphers, caused some anxiety on the part of Frank's friends.

However, Davis brought a counter claim of $10,500, against Schultz, and after due deliberation by the jury, Davis was vindicated, but neither party was allowed damages.

The affair attracted considerable attention at the time, charges and counter charges being made by plaintiff and defendant, some of which were given little credence in court. Attorney George Hickman handled Davis' side of the case.

### *HER READING*

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### SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.
No. 12497.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, state of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said County of Contra Costa.

Richard DeBleyker, plaintiff, vs Mamie DeBleyker, defendant.

The people of the state of California send greeting to Mamie DeBleyker, defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, state of California, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arrising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, state of California, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1926.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.

Hall W. Sanders, attorney for plaintiff.

June 25-August 13.

### NOTICE TO VOTERS

Every person entitled thereto must register during the year 1926, thirty (30) days before the election at which he or she may desire to vote.

Registration for Municipal Elections for towns of ninth class closes March 13, 1926.

Registration for August Primary Election closes July 31, 1926.

Registration for General Election closes October 2, 1926.

Make application for registration to the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 1, 1926.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following persons are Registration Deputies:

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